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For: METHOD AND APPARATUS RELATING TO RADIO COMMUNICATION TECHNICAL FIELD)))	

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Prior to examination, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend Claims 8, 9, 11-18, 22-25, 32, 40, 41, 43-50, 54-57, and 64 as follows:

Claim 8, line 1, delete "any one of the claims 3 to 7" and insert therefor --claim 3--.

Claim 9, line 1, delete "any one of the claims 3 to 8" and insert therefor --claim 3--.

Claim 11, line 1, delete "any one of the claims 1 or 10" and insert therefor --claim 1--.

- Claim 12, line 1, delete "any one of the claims 1 to 9" and insert therefor --claim 3--.
- Claim 13, line 1, delete "any one of the claims 1 to 9, or 12" and insert therefor --claim 1--.
- Claim 14, line 1, delete "any one of the claims 1 to 9, or 13" and insert therefor --claim 1--.
- Claim 15, lines 1 and 2, delete "any one of the claims 1 to 9, 12 or 14" and insert therefor --claim 1--.
- Claim 16, line 1, delete "any one of the claims 1, 10 or 11" and insert therefor --claim 1--.
- Claim 17, line 1, delete "any one of the claims 1, 10, 11 or 16" and insert therefor --claim 1--.
- Claim 18, line 1, delete "any one of the claims 1 to 17" and insert therefor --claim 1--.
- Claim 22, line 1, delete "any one of the claims 20 or 21" and insert therefor --claim 20--.
- Claim 23, line 1, delete "any one of the claims 20, 21, or 22" and insert therefor --claim 20--.
- Claim 24, line 1, delete "any one of the claims 20, 21 or 22" and insert therefor --claim 20--.
- Claim 25, line 1, delete "any one of the claims 1 to 17" and insert therefor --claim 1--.

- Claim 32, line 1, delete "any one of claims 27 to 31" and insert therefor --claim 27--.
- Claim 40, line 1, delete "any one of the claims 35 to 39" and insert therefor --claim 35--.
- Claim 41, line 1, delete "any one of the claims 35 to 40" and insert therefor --claim 35--.
- Claim 43, line 1, delete "any one of claims 33 or 42" and insert therefor --claim 33--.
- Claim 44, line 1, delete "any one of the claims 33 to 41" and insert therefor --claim 33--.
- Claim 45, line 1, delete "any one of the claims 33 to 41, or 44" and insert therefor --claim 33--.
- Claim 46, lines 1 and 2, delete "any one of the claims 33 to 41, or 45" and insert therefor --claim 33--.
- Claim 47, lines 1 and 2, delete "any one of the claims 33 to 41, 44 or 46" and insert therefor --claim 33--.
- Claim 48, lines 1 and 2, delete "any one of the claims 33, 42 or 43" and insert therefor --claim 33--.
- Claim 49, lines 1 and 2, delete "any one of the claims 33, 42, 43 or 48" and insert therefor --claim 33--.
- Claim 50, line 1, delete "any one of the claims 33 to 49" and insert therefor --claim 33--.

Claim 54, line 1, delete "any one of the claims 52 or 53" and insert therefor —claim 52--.

Claim 55, lines 1 and 2, delete "any one of the claims 52, 53 or 54" and insert therefor --claim 52--.

Claim 56, line 1, delete "any one of the claims 52, 53 or 54" and insert therefor --claim 52--.

Claim 57, line 1, delete "any one of the claims 33 to 49" and insert therefor --claim 33--.

Claim 64, line 1, delete "any one of claims 59 to 63" and insert therefor --claim 59--.

REMARKS

The above amendments to the claims have been made in order to eliminate multiple dependencies. Favorable action on the merits of the application is respectfully requested.

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